

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts**  
**Department of Telecommunications and Energy**  
**Fitchburg Gas and Electric Light Company**  
**Docket No. D.T.E. 02-24/25**  
**Responses to the Attorney General's Seventh Set of Information Requests**

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**Request No. AG-7-18 (Gas)**

Please provide the test year amount of interruptible transportation margins. Include all supporting documentation, calculations and assumptions. Provide the amount of the interruptible transportation margins retained by the Company. Please reconcile this amount to the interruptible transportation margins credited to customers through the CGA or LDAC during the test year. Include a copy of the Department's order authorizing the Company to share these margins.

**Response:**

All attachments are provided in response to Request No. AG-7-17 (Gas).

Please refer to Attachment 1 AG-7-17 for the calculation of the Gas Division's interruptible transportation margin for 2001. The Gas Division calculated an interruptible transportation margin of \$59,690 for 2001. As shown on Attachment 2 AG-7-17, the calculation of interruptible transportation margin sharing, the Gas Division retained \$0 margin during the year 2001. All interruptible transportation margins were credited to the LDAC without any offset for margin sharing. Therefore, the entire interruptible transportation margin of \$59,690 was returned to the Gas Division's firm sales and firm transportation customers via the LDAC.

Attachment 3 AG-7-17 provides the Department's February 14, 1996 Order authorizing the Gas Division to share margins.

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